

BAR HILL NEWS

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The 2017 Jubilee Fête... and now for 2018

Few attending the 2017 Fête will deny that it was an enormous success, both during the day and in the evening. Planning for it began in September 2016 when three long-serving members of the Fête Committee decided it would be the last they would help to organise. Now, new people with new ideas for the 2018 Bar Hill Fête are welcome.

Meetings of the committee take place bi-monthly from October until March, then monthly till the Fête. Although the three retiring members have undertaken much of the organisation, their tasks could be delegated among more members. There is no obligation to become a member of the full Residents' Association Committee.

So come and join us for a meeting of the existing Fête Committee on:

11th October at 7.30pm in the Village Hall Committee Room

where members can answer any questions you may have. This will be the last meeting of the Fête Committee as it stands.

It's your Village Fête, held every year, with one exception, since 1972.

Don't let it lapse by sitting back and doing nothing.

Contact Roger Hall, Chairman, Bar Hill Residents' Association: T: 01954 780304; E: roger.hall90@ntlworld.com.

— PARISH COUNCIL NOTICE —

The Public Meeting on Thursday 7th September from 7-9pm in the Octagon HAS BEEN CANCELLED.
Details of further meetings will be advised in the Bar Hill News.

— BAR HILL VILLAGE WEBSITE —

www.barhill.org.uk

You can find updates on matters such as the A14 works, Northstowe, Topland and the environment on the Bar Hill Village website, along with lots of other information.

If you wish to put an item on the website, get in touch with the webmaster by either following the links on the website, or e-mailing: barhill@machineconcepts.co.uk

Your Bar Hill News is also available, without advertising pages, about 10 days before the paper copy is delivered.

DO YOU ENJOY READING YOUR BAR HILL NEWS?

Would you like to help with its production?

Our village magazine is printed and delivered every month except January, and we like to think it provides a useful service to Bar Hill. It's produced entirely by volunteers and we are most grateful to all who help in any way. However, from time to time we need more people to help, as some of our regular team become unable to continue for one reason or another. Now is one of those times! We currently need people to help with collating and delivery and are looking ahead to a new person taking over the co-ordination of the distribution of the printed copies.

Collating – 100 copies of the magazine takes about an hour, using an electric stapler which we provide. The copies will be delivered to you and we usually ask you to pass them on to someone else in the village for delivery, although we can arrange to collect them if necessary. We are short of three regular collators and we would also like to hear from people who are willing to be on the reserve list to cover occasional absences.

Delivery – is usually to between 40 and 70 houses. This typically takes less than an hour. We currently need a deliverer in Watermead. Again, we would also like to hear from people who are willing to be on the reserve list.

Co-ordinating – the distribution is a task which takes a few hours spread over about a week around the end of each month. It includes quite a bit of lifting, carrying and driving (within Bar Hill). We would like to hear from someone willing to take on this essential task whether they are available now or could take over later in the year.

Thank you very much – I look forward to hearing from you.

Martin Avery, E: m.j.avery@ntlworld.com; T: 01954 781233.

**Deadline for October's edition: 15th September to bhneditor@yahoo.com
or see page 2 for other contacts.**

— BAR HILL RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION —

2017-18 COMMITTEE:

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The objectives of the association are to act as an intermediary between residents and other parties, to keep residents informed of matters of importance and recreation in and around the village, and to promote the interests of Bar Hill. Opinions expressed in this publication are not necessarily those of the Association. Anonymous letters will not be published, but names and addresses may be withheld. However, these may be made available should a written request be received. This is a private publication and may not be reproduced in any way without the prior permission of the Bar Hill Residents' Association Committee.

ADVERTISING

All matters relating to advertising should be addressed to the Advertising Coordinator bunty.waters@ntlworld.com. Quarter-page adverts cost £16.50 per month and must be submitted by the 1st of the month prior to inclusion. These ads are for local businesses and we guarantee publication, but this often results in a waiting list. To help overcome this, we publish Maxi and Mini ads which appear throughout the publication. We cannot guarantee their inclusion, though, due to restrictions of space. Maxi ads (6cmx4½cm – 9cmx6cm) are £8.50 per month; Mini ads (6cmx2cm – 6cmx4cm) are £5 per month, and should be submitted by 15th of the month prior to their inclusion.

EDITORIAL

There is no charge for Articles, What's On, For Sale or Lost and Found. These appear at the Editor's discretion. Please submit items by 15th of the month. [Items offered For Sale will be advertised in two consecutive editions, so please let the Editor know if the item(s) sell after the first time.] All items can be submitted electronically on disk or to bhneditor@yahoo.com [a Word file is best, please] or hard copy via Parish Council Office.

— THE MAPLE SURGERY —

Tel: 01954 780442

www.mhmaple.co.uk

Out of Hours Emergencies call 111
(Cambridgeshire and Peterborough 111 Service)

Surgery Opening times:

Monday to Friday 8am – 6.30pm

On the day appointments: bookable by phone at 8.30am.

Midwife Thursday 9.30am–12.30pm

Podiatrist Wed. & Friday 8.45am–12 noon
and 1.00–4.00pm

Orthoptist 2nd Tues/month 9.00am–12.30pm

Cambs Hearing Help 4th Tues/month 9.30–11.30am

Health Visitors (based at Longstanton): 01954 207612

Well Child Clinics: 3rd Tues/month 1.00–2.30pm
at the Children's Centre, Bar Hill (next to Primary School).

— BAR HILL HEALTH WALKS —

Free every Wednesday morning

Meet at Maple Surgery at 10.30am

Our walks are all weather (*in case of rain you will find us under the Church porch*), free, and accessible to all, particularly those who are currently inactive.

Walks are 45–60 minutes long, and led by trained Volunteer Walk Leaders. Shorter walks may be available; contact Patricia or Josephine to discuss.

We meet locally after the walk for a hot drink and a chat. This is usually in the library, but may sometimes be at Costa, Tesco, or the Fox.

If this is your first walk please arrive 10 minutes early to complete a short health questionnaire. Copies are available on the PPG noticeboard in Maple Surgery, and at www.walkingforhealth.org.uk.

Contact: Josephine Powell T: 07901 558108;

E: jopowell45@hotmail.com or Patricia Daniels

T: 07917 874402; E: danielsoohn@btinternet.com.

HAIR2U Professional Mobile Hairdressing covering Bar Hill. Call Caroline: 07843 238718.



— WANTED —

Bar Hill School Reception Class would like donations of dressing-up clothes; plastic cups & saucers etc. for the play kitchen; plastic fruit & vegetables!

Please deliver to Jo Hall, 11 Almond Grove.

T: 01954 780304

HAVING PROBLEMS WITH COMPUTERS OR NEW TECHNOLOGY?

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T: 07889 261282; E: info@learnitwithlaura.co.uk

W: www.learnitwithlaura.co.uk

— NWR —
**CONNECTING WOMEN WHO ARE
 INTERESTED IN EVERYTHING
 AND TALK ABOUT ANYTHING**



NWR is a national women's organisation with members who enjoy lively conversations both serious and light-hearted. It is for women of all ages who like to be informed and share ideas by actively participating in the content of meetings.

We promote friendship and self-confidence for lively minded women. We invite you to join us. Come along to one of our meetings – you'd be very welcome.

31st August Favourite Actresses – share facts, life, films etc. with the group.

14th Sept. History of Chocolate – research the history of chocolate companies (Cadbury's, Rowntrees etc.), varieties and tastes, what they did for their workers, any medical properties, recipes etc.

21st Sept. Speaker – Chantal Bradley who is part of the 'Dementia Friends Champion'.

The Bar Hill NWR group meets informally in members' homes on alternate Thursday evenings at 8pm. We pay an annual fee of £20 and just £1 per meeting to cover local costs. If you would like more information or someone to accompany you to a meeting, please don't hesitate to call Marie-The Last on 01954 780329 or Jackie Jackson on 01954 781613.

NWR can also be found on www.nwr.org.uk. Why not have a look!

**BAR HILL
 COMMUNITY
 MARKET**



**NOT August or September
 Saturday 7th October**

10.30am–2pm

In the Octagon CB23 8EH

— Entry is Free —

All profits go to community/charity projects.
 Refreshments with soup & bread at lunchtime;
 BBQ (weather permitting).

If you wish to be part of the market please contact

Karen Austen 01954 781085.

e-mail: bar.hill.community.market@gmail.com

Facebook: Bar Hill Community Market

— HEALTH AND WELLBEING CLUB —

Normally held on the second Tuesday of the month between 2–4pm in Tesco Community Room, the group focuses on all aspects of promoting and maintaining good health in every area.

We start with a chair based exercise activity followed by advice from Tesco's departments.

This is a unique and friendly group and is an ideal place to meet new people.

Next meeting: 12th September.

For further information, contact Wendy Arrowsmith on 01954 781381.

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— HAPPY HOURS —

Our Club meets most Mondays in the Octagon building of Bar Hill Church from 11am–3pm, with coffee, tea and light lunches.



Our Summer lunch menu consists of salads (cheese, salmon or the weekly special which could be ham, corn beef, pork pie or quiche) or ploughman's lunch – all at £2.30.

Our aim is to provide friendship and companionship, so why not come along and give us a try? You can have a good old natter, a game or two, or enjoy various other activities. We would welcome new members.

The club raised almost £400 with our tombola stall at the village fête. Thanks to everyone who donated items for the stall and to those that took part and supported us.

In the last month the highlights have been the Marie Curie Great Bloomin' Tea Party, which raised £282.40, and Pictionary which was so much fun.

Coming up – September is our games and competitions month, with knock out competitions for the challenge cups in Scrabble, Rummikub, Darts, Dominoes, Triominoes and Cribbage.

Anne Plumb, 01954 780364

— MARIE CURIE —
BLOOMING GREAT TEA PARTY



The Tea Party held on the 31st July was a great success and raised £282.40.

Thanks to everyone who donated cakes and items for the raffle. Special thanks to Joan Tanton for her wonderful scones!

Thank you to everyone who came along to support this great cause, and enjoy the cream teas and cakes.

— 8 O'CLOCK CLUB —

We are a women's group that meets on the first Thursday of the month in the lounge at the school at 8pm. The cost is £10 for the year plus 50p each month to cover the raffle and coffee.

We have a variety of speakers as well as an annual garden party, birthday party and Christmas meal. Our meetings for the new school year are as follows:–

7 September enrolment evening – informal evening with a glass of wine and a chat.

5 October Tax, Care and Toy Boys.

2 November Robert Barber will talk about his work running the costume department at the Arts Theatre.

7 December Christmas meal, members only.

If you'd like further information please phone Barbara on 01954 204171, Adela on 01954 204265, Ann on

01954 204687, or come along to one of our meetings. We'd be very pleased to meet you.

— BAR HILL BOOK CLUB —

Our next meeting is on Tuesday 19th September at 7pm at a new venue: Bar Hill Sports & Social Club.

Please join our friendly group, we offer a lovely welcome, good company, and great book choices.

Contact: sheilafarrar@hotmail.co.uk; tel/bxt: 07920 558319

— LETTERS —
—none received this month—

— WANTED —

A reliable and caring person to walk a small, elderly dog occasionally. Times negotiable
Please phone 01954 789243 evenings & weekends

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CAMBRIDGE'S
VERY OWN
CRUISE AND
TRAVEL SHOW

Sunday 22nd October 2017

Hallmark Hotel, Bar Hill CB23 8EU from 11-3pm
October is National Cruise Month, so here at Ponders Travel we have asked all the big names in cruising and river cruising to join us under one roof to showcase the very best of their National Cruise Month Offers. You will have a chance to discuss your holiday ideas with an array of travel professionals, including our very own Cruise Manager of the Year, Clare Dudley. With a luxury prize draw on the day and exclusive holiday offers, you'll really want to put this event in your diary! This is a free entry show, with ample free parking. So pre-book your ticket now by registering at our website: www.ponderstravel.co.uk

— BAR HILL POST OFFICE —

We are located in Bar Hill Library, open 9am-5.30pm Monday to Friday and 9am-12.30pm Saturday. We offer Royal Mail and ParcelForce services for all your posting needs. Ask our friendly, helpful staff for advice to make sure you're using the right service.
Also available • car tax • bill payments • banking services — cash/cheque deposits for all High Street Banks • FREE cash withdrawals • foreign currency orders — Euros in stock; other currency available to order with next day delivery • Moneygram — safely send money abroad/UK • gas & electricity key/card top-ups • mobile phone top-ups • One 4 All multi-store gift cards • National Lottery, EuroMillions & scratch cards • stationery and posting/packaging items • cards & wrapping paper for all occasions • basic shop items — kitchen/toilet rolls, cleaning products, tissues etc • sweets and chocolate • cold drinks • daily newspapers •
New — ice creams, helium balloons, cigarettes/tobacco
— PLEASE SUPPORT YOUR LOCAL POST OFFICE —
☺ thank you ☺

— COMBERTON RAMBLERS CLUB —

We walk on alternate Sundays, starting at 10.15am. Walks are from 4-7 miles, usually ending near a public house. We are a friendly, informative group that enjoys exploring the varied countryside in this area. New walkers are welcome to join us with up to two free walks, then we request you become a member. For further details on how to join our sociable rambling group please contact Stella:
E: stella.ramblers@hotmail.com; T: 01954 210049; or go to the website: www.combertonramblers.org.uk.

— BEING A CHILDMINDER —
WHAT IT ACTUALLY MEANS

Registering to become a Childminder is not a decision to be taken lightly. It is a very involved process, a job that can only be done with a genuine love for children. We must be registered with OFSTED, including being approved by them on a pre-registration inspection, having insurance to protect our business against all the vulnerabilities, having a police check (DBS) on everyone in the household over 16 years, having ICO protection for storing data, following the EYFS, tracking development, bringing them forward, nurturing, comforting and keeping them safe. We do the paperwork required — usually above and beyond — because we try to be the best we can. We are trained in first aid, safeguarding and attend a course to allow us to become a childminder. We even have a health declaration done.

Once we are registered, there is the actual "day in the life of a childminder" which no course can prepare you for. It's a whirlwind from the minute you get out of bed until you finally sit down at the end of the day. Each day starts long before the children arrive and finishes long after they have left. We have a room to prepare, make safe, activities to prepare and breakfast to serve. Once the doorbell rings our focus is the children — forever wishing those eyes in the back of the head were a reality! We never forget that we are being trusted with a person's most treasured possession, and we keep them safe like we do our own. We mop up spills, kiss grazed knees, give cuddles, provide reassurance, remember their favourite toy or song, stop arguments by being firm but fair, recognise when a child is sad and needs extra hugs. We delight at the smiles and laughter from the children every day.

Days are filled with school runs, preparing snacks, tidying toys away and bringing out new exciting things, trips to the park, permanently counting heads to make sure all children are there, we play in the garden, we bake, we have lunch and naps, doing it all again in the afternoon, preparing dinner and home time.

We fill in diaries, write observations, tick off that next step, feeling so proud of what they've achieved. We take photos so parents can see their child's day and be a part of it, we talk to parents and reassure them, forever building a parent-childcarer relationship. Once the door closes we see to our own family whilst tidying up the toys. Working from home means we never switch off, our job becomes entwined with our life. We advertise our spaces hoping someone will come along, worry when children leave. We do it all — the playing, cleaning, cooking, driving, walking, the refereeing, the paperwork, the accounts, the nurturing and the caring — and we wouldn't have it any other way!



Arthur Rank Hospice Charity

making every moment count

Retired or soon to retire?

Attend our free event to help you take control of your future and relax into retirement on

Wednesday 20th September
at Girton College, Cambridge CB3 0JG
from 1.15-4.30pm.

Find out more and book your place at
arhc.org.uk/lookahead; 01223 675888,
or find us on Facebook.

— BAR HILL PARISH COUNCIL —



Sue Bell, Parish Clerk: 01954 780456

e-mail: bhillpc-1@btconnect.com.

Please note that the office is open to residents between 9am–11am Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Visit our website: www.barhill.org.uk for updates.

The Parish Council has become aware of certain rumours and misinformation that are being stated within this village and on social media.

We would therefore like to issue this statement regarding the land in Saxon Way that was the former skate park:

THE LAND HAS NOT BEEN SOLD TO ANYONE.

In 2016 the PC sold the property [owned by the PC] called The Willows. This money has enabled the PC to spend much-needed funds on work on the stream in the village. It has also enabled the PC to purchase equipment for older children to use which is sited on the village green.

The next Parish Council meeting will be on 21st September 2017 at 7pm in the Parish Council Office.

Minutes are posted up in the Parish Council window. Items for the agenda must be placed with the Clerk at least 7 days before the meeting.

Visit the village website: www.barhill.org.uk for up-dates on local matters including progress of the A14.

Useful Contacts:

South Cambs District Council (environmental services, refuse/recycling, fly tipping, dog fouling, street cleaning [except parish council lands], council tax, planning, building control, licensing, benefits, housing, transport, senior bus pass/railcards): www.scambs.gov.uk/form-type/report-it; 0345 0450 500.

Anglian Water (water supply and sewerage): 03457 145145.

Cambridgeshire County Council: General: 0345 045 5200;

(street lighting 0800 7838247 [give number of lamp post],

highways report a fault: [https://highwaysreporting.](https://highwaysreporting.cambridgeshire.gov.uk)

cambridgeshire.gov.uk (trunk roads Highways England:

0300 123 5000) (anything a danger to the public report to Police on 101), transport, schools, social services (adults/children and families), libraries leisure and culture, Registrar Births Deaths and Marriages, recycling centres, RingGo Phone parking payments 01223 853066, Blue Badge, Bus timetables <https://cambridgeshire.gov.uk/residents/travel-roads-and-parking/buses/bus-timetables>.

Abandoned Tesco trolleys: 0800 316 1241.

— NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH —

Using an ATM is a quick and convenient way to access your money, but inevitably it can attract fraudsters and thieves who want to steal from you. While incidents are comparatively rare, following last month's unfortunate incident at Tesco's cash machine, when a thief distracted a user and stole her card, we want to offer some

advice about staying safe when accessing your money.

The safest way is to plan ahead and get cashback with your shopping. However, if you use a machine -

1) choose an ATM in a well-lit and busy area or take a friend with you.

If you see anyone hanging around suspiciously, report it to the police (101).

2) check the machine before using it

- A false front over the card slot can skim your details or a small camera could read your PIN.

Avoid any machine that has been tampered with or vandalised and report it immediately.

3) protect your PIN

- While inputting the numbers place the other hand over the keypad as a shield.

- Don't have it written down.

- Never reveal it to anyone, not even bank staff or police.

4) Do not be distracted.

- Ignore anyone talking to you and concentrate on your card and money so no-one can steal them.

5) Never accept help from strangers, however helpful they may appear and even if you are having problems.

- If your card gets stuck, don't leave it. Report it immediately using your mobile phone or if your friend is there one can remain at the ATM while the other goes to report it.

- Strangers may offer to help but they can't so don't trust them or give them your PIN.

6) Always select 'yes' for a receipt and check it against your bank statement.

Your bank should compensate any loss but it's up to you to report it.

For further advice about other situations e.g. when abroad, using a drive-through ATM, see Moneyfacts.co.uk or your card provider's website.

Pam Vandy, Village Co-ordinator

— FOR SALE —

"Power Byke" (electric bicycle).

Good condition. £250.00 or near offer.

Contact: 01954 781895 or mobile 07806 807454.

— FAMILY HISTORY SESSIONS —
BAR HILL LIBRARY

Caroline Norton from the Cambridgeshire Family History Society will be running drop-in sessions at the library as follows for the rest of the year:

Monday 18th September, 10am–4pm

Monday 20th November, 10am–4pm

Caroline is a very experienced researcher so if you need a little help with your investigations, why not come down and see if she can help. It's free!

THE ROYAL BRITISH LEGION,

— BAR HILL BRANCH —

The Royal British Legion Bar Hill meets at 7.30pm on the 4th Thursday of each month in the meeting room of the Octagon.

We are a small friendly group of like-minded people.

You don't need to have an Armed Forces background to join, just share a common cause of supporting our Service Community, now and for the rest of their lives.

BAR HILL BABY AND TODDLER GROUP

Wednesdays and Friday (term time)

9.45–11.15am in the Octagon.

Ordinary session price includes children's snacks, drink, craft, play and adult tea/coffee.

Under 1: £1.50; Over 1: £2.50; Family: £3.50.



— Bar Hill Church —

What do we get up to *in our morning services?*

A major part of what we do is **Worship**, which simply means 'giving someone their worth'. For example, a mayor may be addressed as 'Her Worship the Mayor', in church, we are giving God 'his worth'.



Families are always welcome,

with either children's activities, or staying all-together.

Our worship is varied,

e.g. using music, drama and occasionally dance in imaginative ways.



We welcome enquiries about **Baptism and weddings.**



We **pray** together and **read the Bible.**



Morning Worship every Sunday at 10.00 am

All are welcome.

There is usually one evening service every month "Re:boot", which is more informal and contemporary in style.

All services are advertised in the front window of the Church.

To know more, phone Charles (our minister) on 01954 277119 or 07757 927111

or just take the plunge and join in with something! You would be welcome.

Church Contacts

Church Office	Linda King	01954 206120 office@barhillchurch.org.uk
Minister	Rev. Charles Mather	01954 277119 charlesmather20@yahoo.com
Address	Bar Hill Church Centre, Hanover Close, Bar Hill, Cambridge CB23 8EH	
Website	barhillchurch.org.uk	Facebook https://facebook.com/barhillchurch

— Bar Hill Church —



Services during September

Sunday 3 September	10.00 am	Holy Communion (Methodist)
Sunday 10 September	10.00 am	All-Together Worship
Wednesday 13 September	10.00 am	Mid-Week Communion
Sunday 17 September	10.00 am	Holy Communion (Baptist)
Wednesday 20 September	3.15 pm	Messy Church (in the Octagon)
Sunday 24 September	8.00 am	Holy Communion
	10.00 am	Morning Worship (Harvest: speaker from TEAR Fund)
	6.30 pm	Re:boot

Social Calendar for September

Olive Tree Coffee Morning Saturday 16th
9.00 am - noon in the Octagon (Meetings Room)
(Contact Sue 01954 780260)

Knit & Natter every Thursday 1.15 - 3.00 pm
in the Octagon (Contact Sue 01954 780260)

Coffee Stop every Wednesday 10 am - noon
in the Library (Contact Sue 01954 780260)

Art Group every Wednesday 1.30 - 4.00 pm
in the Church (Contact Jan 01954 201495)

Quiz Evening Saturday 16 September at 7.30 pm
in the Church Hall. Teams of no more than 5.
Entry £1 per person, pay at the door.
(Contact Malcolm 01954 488657)

Bring Your Own Craft Group Saturday 23rd
2.15 - 4.45 pm in the Octagon
(Contact Wendy 01954 782041)

Home Groups These will resume at various
times and locations during September. (Contact
Elizabeth elizabeth.burns@barhillchurch.org.uk)

Jubilee Weekend - Everyone is invited to join us and celebrate 50 years of Bar Hill Church.

Saturday 30 September **Ceilidh** in the Church Hall. Tickets £7.50 (children U12 free) from Di 01954 781502

Sunday 1 October **Bishop James Newcome** returning to preach in our 10.00 am communion service.

THE CATHOLIC CHURCH OF OUR LADY AND THE ENGLISH MARTYRS

The Catholic Church serving Bar Hill

Hills Road, Cambridge

Parish Priest: Rt. Rev. Mgr Eugene Canon Harkness
Tel: 01223 350787

Local contact: Bunty Waters Tel: 01954 201421

Mon., Weds., Thurs., Friday 8am & 12.15pm

Tuesday 8am & 7.30pm

Saturday 6pm: First Mass of Sundays

Masses in the Parish Church in Cambridge; also 5pm at
Cambourne and 6pm at The Octagon, Bar Hill.

Holydays of Obligation 8am, 10am, 7.30pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Tuesday 6.45pm (not after Mass)

Saturday 10.30-11.15am, 4.30-5.15pm, 7.00-7.45pm

Details of other services are published in a weekly
newsletter available at the 6pm Mass each Saturday.
Copies are also available in the Church Centre.

Home Visits

I am happy to bring communion to house bound Catholics. I
also visit people at the end of their lives, of any religion or
none, who would welcome support or are distressed
spiritually.

Contact Jean: 07841 397338, Catholic Eucharistic Minister.
Associate Member of the Hospice Chaplaincy Team.

— CAMBRIDGESHIRE AGE UK — VOLUNTEERS NEEDED IN YOUR AREA

Have you spoken to anyone today? How would you feel if the
answer today, tomorrow and the next day was no-one?

The Age-UK visiting scheme enables people in later life living near
you to say "Yes - I had a visitor today".

Just one hour a week of your time will help ease social isolation
and loneliness.

To become one of our valued volunteer visitors, contact our
helpline on 0300 666 9860.

— BAR HILL VILLAGE HALL —

- Conference Facilities;
- Seminars;
- Committee/Meeting Room;
- Training Days;
- Exam Sessions;
- Wedding Receptions;
- Birthday Celebrations;
- Anniversary Celebrations;
- Charity Events;
- Children's Parties;
- Jumble Sales.
- Kitchen Facilities.
- Excellent Parking and Catering Facilities.



During the week we have the following groups and clubs:

Mon.	Helene Taylor-Todd School of Dance	4–6pm
	(school term time only)	
Mon.	Craig Burns Bootcamp	6.15–7.15pm
Mon.	Martial Arts	7.30–9pm
Tues.	Shotokan Karate	6–8pm
Wed.	Helene Taylor-Todd School of Dance	4–6.45pm
Wed.	Danielle Fitness Classes Zumba & Pilates	7–9pm
Thur.	Pilates (school term time only)	10–11am
Thur.	Weightwatchers	7–7.50pm
Fri.	Baby Sensory	10.30–12.30pm
Fri.	Martial Arts	7.30–9pm
Sun.	Bingo (doors open 7pm) Cash prizes	7.30–9pm

If you wish to book any of these facilities, or get more information, please call 01954 782414 and leave a clear message. We'll call back within 24 hours (Monday to Friday); or e-mail barhill.villagehall@btconnect.com

— STORYTIME AT BAR HILL LIBRARY —

After our summer break, our sessions of stories and pictures, rhymes, songs and craft begin again on

23rd September at 10.30am in the Library. They are open to children of pre-school age and their older brothers and sisters who are accompanied by an adult. From October Storytime will again offer half an hour or so of book-based enjoyment twice every month, on the second and fourth Saturdays.

This free event reveals the treasure that books present and what is gained by learning to read. There is no need to book; just come along.



— GIRLGUIDING IN BAR HILL —

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— MAPLE SURGERY NEWS —

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Change of GP hours – as from 1st September, Dr Wheeler will be working on **Wednesdays and Fridays** rather than Thursdays and Fridays.

Annual flu clinic – **SAVE THE DATE: 4th November** (Saturday). All eligible patients will receive an invitation to attend.

On-the-day appointment bookings – morning and afternoon emergency/on-the-day appointments can now be booked by phone from 8.30am.

Test results and other enquiries – please try to avoid calling the Surgery before 9.30am for anything other than appointment bookings. We can only respond to phone requests for current test results after 2pm.

Free NHS health checks – if you are aged 40–74 years and have not had a health check in the last five years, please contact the surgery to book an appointment.

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Goodbye – last month we were sorry to say 'goodbye' to Caroline Harper of our administration team. Caroline is moving on to work in Older People's Services. We look forward to welcoming her replacement very soon.

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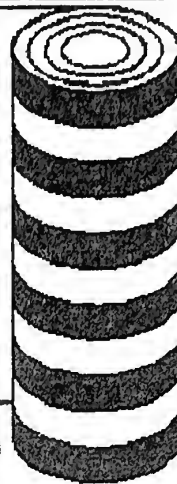
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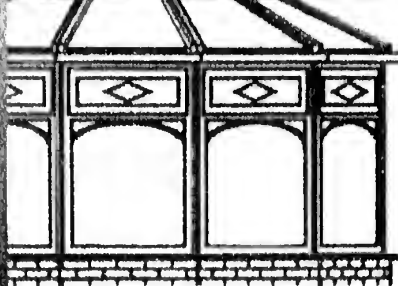
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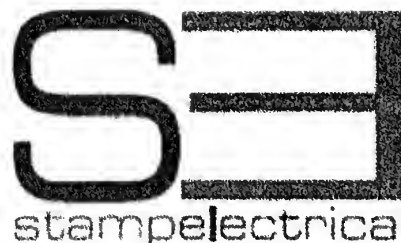
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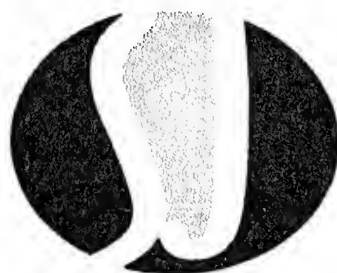
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Carers Support Meetings – our next meetings at Willingham Surgery are on 6th September, 4th October and 1st November at 2pm. Please contact Sue Lawson at susan.lawson7@nhs.net for more information.

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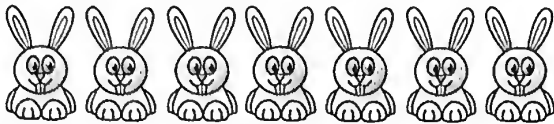
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If you require more details please contact Barbara on 01954 204171.

— BAR HILL CRICKET CLUB —

Bar Hill lost their first league match of the season but at the time of writing remain top of the league, with a close finish in prospect as they go for promotion.

Needingworth II were the opponents for that defeat in the CCA Junior League, despite Sam Clare taking four wickets and Sam Wilson hitting 37 and Phil Orvis 31.

Needingworth's total of 153 all out proved 31 too many for Bar Hill.

Earlier in the month, Cambridge NCI IV were defeated with ease. The two Sams were again to the fore, Wilson taking four wickets and Clare then smashing 59 not out to add to his three wickets as Bar Hill won without losing a wicket and in the nick of time before the rain came.

Also in the last month, Abbots Ripton conceded the match to Bar Hill, while the game with Girton was rained off.

With one match against closest rival Wilburton II – which we will have played by the time you read this – and one to come against Histon III on September 9th, two wins will be enough to seal promotion and one might prove to be enough.


Rain caused havoc with the midweek matches, with none able to be played this month.

Our youth training sessions have now stopped for the summer, but watch this space for news during the closed season.

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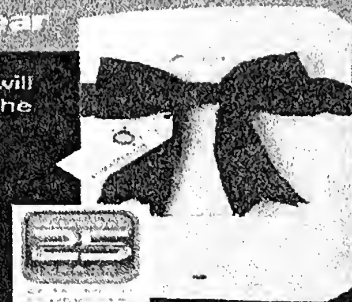
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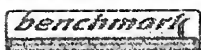
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A14 Community Fund – local projects have already received funding from the A14 Community Fund, which launched last year. The fund looks to support local activities that focus on bringing communities closer together and over £50,000 has been allocated to date. For more information about the A14 Community Fund visit cambscf.org.uk/A14.html.

Look into the past at Northstowe – around 500 people attended an open day in July to look at the artefacts found at Northstowe found during the excavation of the second phase of the town. I went along and found it fascinating, it was just at the time when they were finding skeletons, several had been found, their teeth were looking excellent and you could see their sandals still in good condition! The next archaeological day will be held in September which will also include a community dig. See www.northstowe.com for more information.

Recycling – ever wondered what or where you should recycle various items? South Cambs have a very good A-Z for this at www.scambs.gov.uk/what-goes-which-bin where you can check out where stuff should go.

Who should I contact if someone I know might become homeless – if you're worried about someone becoming homeless and need advice, contact the housing advice service as soon as you can on 03450 450051 or at housingadvice@scambs.gov.uk.

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— HEIDI ALLEN MP —

It's fair to say the summer's been a mixed bag, but that hasn't dampened the resolve of our villages to host traditional summer celebrations! With successful fêtes at Meldreth, where the ladies' tug of war team – with the help of my husband Phil – took on the men. Steeple Morden Primary School, where I was honoured to judge the fancy dress competition. Longstanton's Picnic in the Park, which was rather damp, but didn't stop the Youth Council's event grabbing imaginations with bug box building and a family picnic. Barrington's Big Sing – a brilliant example of local fundraising in action. Girton's Feast Week BBQ. Morden's Save the Children's Cream Tea celebration. Events like these raise vital funds for local causes.

Before the summer break, the Secretary of State announced an additional £1.3 billion to be invested in front line schools funding. All of your contributions to the Fairer Funding Consultation helped to achieve this, so thank you to everyone who took part.

I attended several science-related events in August, designed to increase young people's interest in all things STEM. I presented young scientist certificates at the Cambourne Science Fair, joined in with the Active Science Day at Cambridge United and spoke at the Women in STEM event at Corpus Christi College. It's invigorating to be in the presence of so many bright, investigative young minds.

The Greater Cambridge & Peterborough Local Enterprise Partnership panel debate gave me the opportunity to exchange views with those that make decisions affecting our local economy. I raised issues of growth, housing development, local services and transport with Beverley Agass, Chief Executive of South Cambs District Council, when we met in July. To deliver growth in our region it is important that stakeholders and public authorities work together and listen to views and concerns of residents.

Many of you raised bus transport issues with me. I would encourage you to contact your County Councillor, as these are the people who will advocate for your local route. On 9th August my office moved to Sawston High Street. We'll be hosting regular open days for residents to drop in by appointment.

You can email me at: heidi.allen.mp@parliament.uk or find more information and news stories on my website: www.heidisouthcambs.co.uk.

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— COUNTY COUNCILLOR REPORT —

The County Council is currently consulting on plans to redesign Children's Centres, which are intended to provide valuable support to parents, but feedback shows they are not always located most conveniently. The Council is reviewing current provision and wants to ensure that the right services, support and opportunities are available for families if and when they need them. I have already met with the lead Officer for this review to discuss what the proposals are for us locally but it is important that you also express your views. Local people are the experts about what their communities need and I urge you to respond to the consultation on this important subject, which ends on 22 September 2017. You can respond via the Council's website: residents/children and families/children's centres or you can get a hard copy version of the consultation at Children's Centres and Libraries.

Following the announcement that Whippet is going to withdraw 17 services from 03 September I met with Officers and talked to affected residents. In the short term the County Council will subsidise most of the routes to allow for a comprehensive review to be done of all the county's bus services. I am working with a neighbouring councillor to investigate a community transport solution. Please do let me have your views on what is needed. A demand responsive service or maybe a car share scheme?

Be 'scam aware'. The latest involved fake 'while you were out' missed delivery cards which seem to come from Royal Mail when they don't. Anyone calling the phone number given to retrieve their parcel finds themselves facing a £45 bill. Royal Mail is urgently investigating but some simple advice is to check: is the Royal Mail logo shown on the card [the fake ones don't have this], are you expecting a parcel from the company named on the card and contact your local post office rather than the number given on the card.

Please don't hesitate to contact me with any comments or questions you may have. If you would like to receive a copy of the full report that I write for the division's parish councils each month, please do email me and I will add you to its circulation.

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Fourth Tuesday of month: 9.30–11.30am. Cambridge Hearing Help: *advice, hearing and maintenance session, and batteries for NHS hearing aids.* Maple Surgery. Contact Frances Dewhurst: 01223 416141 for more information.

Fourth Tuesday of month: 10.30am–1pm (phone to check). Carers Trust drop-in: *monthly opportunity for a chat, support and information for those looking after someone.* Bar Hill Tesco community room. Contact Laura Green: 01480 499090.

Tuesdays: 2–3 pm (booking required). Computer buddying: *help with basic IT skills, aimed at beginners over 50yrs.* Bar Hill Library. Contact the Library: 0345 045 5225.

Wednesdays: 6.30–7.15pm. Shape & tone: *low impact, toning, pilates and stretch exercises.* Bar Hill Church. Contact Simon Gurry: 01223 236945 for more information.

Wednesdays: 10.30am. Bar Hill Health Walks: *(see page 2 for more details).*

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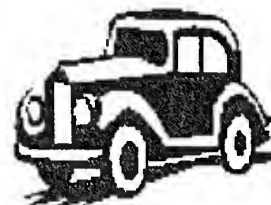
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- Walk your escape route with the rest of your family or housemates and make sure everyone can open windows and doors easily.

If you, your neighbour or family member might be vulnerable or have trouble escaping from their house in a fire, get in touch with us to see if we can help by calling 0800 917 9994.

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Gardening with Wildlife in Mind

on **Wednesday 11th October at 7.30pm**

Iain Webb, the Cambridge Community Conservation Officer for the Wildlife Trusts will speak about how small changes that we can make in our private gardens can make a really big difference in the conservation of our native species. He will show us how to attract insects, amphibians, birds and small mammals by providing the best possible habitats such as ponds, shelter, and food sources. Whether it is by planting the best nectar producing plants or simply by hanging out nuts and seeds for birds and providing bird baths, we can all help! Both of these events will take place at **Brampton Memorial Hall, Thrapston Road, Brampton, PE28 4TB**. Anyone interested in wildlife is most welcome to attend. Booking not necessary; entrance charge £2.50 (*accompanied children free*). Please contact Tim on 01480 457795 for more information.

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— **BAR HILL SCHOOL PTA** —

Last year had its ups and downs for the PTA. We had some great events including the Christmas Fair, Annual Pop Quiz in January and the Fun day in June. It was disappointing that the Jubilee ball had to be cancelled due to lack of ticket sales, but it's all a learning curve.

This year will see three of the PTA members stepping down due to their children moving on to Swavesey. The PTA is looking for more parents, grandparents and carers to join and help raise money for the school. If you are interested in joining please

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— OVER SURGERY NEWS —

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GP update – following the sad and unexpected death of Dr Susan Gillard we would like to thank everyone for their kind sentiments, cards and flowers, and for their understanding during this difficult time.

On a happier note we would like to wish Dr Judy Davis a well-deserved retirement. However... she will be remaining as a partner and, after taking a month off, she will return to cover doctors' annual leave, so we'll still see her! We are also delighted to announce that Dr Alexandra Davidson has joined us for two days a week. **FLU season** – vaccinations will be available from end of September. If you are not eligible to receive this on the NHS, you can have at the pharmacy for a very reasonable £10. We will be vaccinating children aged 2–3 years with the Fluenz nasal vaccine. Older children will routinely receive the vaccine at school.

Shingles – patients eligible to receive this vaccination will be contacted.

Shortage of Hepatitis A and Hepatitis B Vaccines – there is currently a national shortage of these vaccines which may continue until early 2018. The vaccine will be given to individuals who are assessed as being at the highest and most immediate risk and will affect the new programme being introduced for babies to receive Hep B. You may be offered an alternative vaccination.

Premises – as you may have seen we are working on pruning back the hedges, trees and bushes around the surgery. We will be replacing the tree that was removed with hedging to fill in the gap!

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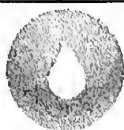


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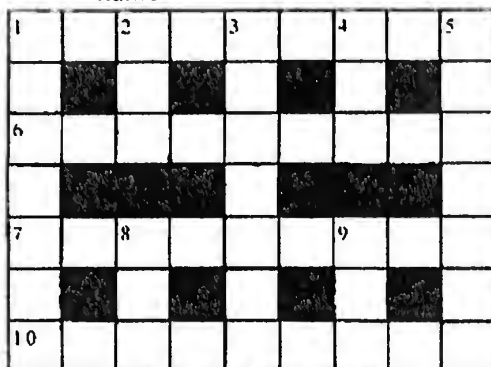


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— SEPTEMBER CROSSWORD —

Across: 1. fit to eat, 6. stone age, 7. to be avoided (3,6), 10. needed for travelling.

Down: 1. big black cat, 2. star sign, 3. three-legged stands, 4. term of disgust, 5. surround, 8. hot beverage, 9. girl's name.



AUGUST'S SOLUTION

Across: 1. September, 6. ice blocks, 7. theorised, 10. decreased.

Down: 1. skirted, 2. pie, 3. enlarge, 4. Bic, 8. EEC, 9. SOS.

— BIN COLLECTION —

Friday 1st September green and blue
7th September black
14th September green and blue
21st September black
28th September green and blue
5th October black
12th October green and blue
19th October black
26th October green and blue

— THE ALLOTMENT SOCIETY —



Anyone interested in renting space to grow their own produce can be put on our waiting list for membership. Please contact Rob Lawrence, plot allocator, on

07788 590348.

All other allotment matters should be addressed to: barhillallotment@gmail.com.

— USEFUL TELEPHONE NUMBERS —

Out of Hours Medical Emergencies		111
Police Non-Emergency		101
Allotment Society	Rob Lawrence	07788 590348
Bar Hill Church	Minister: Charles Mather	01954 277119
	Church office	01954 206120
Bar Hill School		01954 273305
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	Longstanton	01954 207600
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Neighbourhood Watch	Pam Vendy	01954 201001
Over Day Centre	Sarah Peck, Manager	01954 231807
Parish Council Office	Sue Bell, Parish Clerk	01954 780456
Post Office		01954 789285
Pre-School		01954 782892
Royal British Legion,	Wendy Arrowsmith	01954 781381
Health & Wellbeing at Tesco		
Samaritans		01223 364455
Swavesey Village College		01954 230366

— SEPTEMBER PUZZLE —

Form nine, nine letter weather features, in groups of three letters, in alphabetical order.

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Solution for August: BALDACHIN, BOLECTION, CARTOUCHE, COLONNADE, GATEHOUSE, HYPOPHYGE, MEDALLION, POPPYHEAD, TRIFORIUM.

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RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION



Interested persons are always welcome at Residents' Association meetings.

They are usually held on the first Tuesday of the month at 8pm in the Parish Council office.
Next meeting: 5th September.

— EVENTS CALENDAR —

date	event	where	time
31 August	NWR – favourite actresses (page 3)		8pm
1 September	Karaoke Night (page 8)	BHSSC	
4 September	Sing It Out recommences (page 1)	Octagon	7.30–8.30pm
7 September	8 O'clock Club enrolment evening (page 3)	School	8pm
7 September	CANCELLED: Public meeting re disposal of land (page 1)		7–9pm
12 September	Health and Wellbeing Club (page 3)	Tesco Community Room	2–4pm
14 September	NWR – history of chocolate (page 3)		8pm
18 September	Family History Sessions (page 5)	Bar Hill Library	10am–4pm
19 September	Bar Hill Book Club (page 3)	The Fox	7pm
20 September	Free Event re retirement (page 4)	Glinton College	1.15–4.30pm
21 September	NWR – speaker – Chantal Bradley (page 3)		8pm
22 September	Free English Lessons (page 16)	Chesterton Community College	9.30am
23 September	Storytime (page 8)	Library	10.30pm
28 September	Royal British Legion meeting (page 5)	Octagon	7.30pm
29 September	Fundraising Day for Luke Wright (page 8)	BHSSC	

— LOST or STOLEN —

The wishing well has disappeared from a front garden in Foxhollow.
Has anyone seen it abandoned around the village?
Please call or text 07944 523821 with any information.
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— SUPPORT DURING A POWER CUT —

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